

BRITISH AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY LIMITED



ANNUAL REPORT 1970







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President

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Vice President Marketing Assistant General Manager

Controller and Chief Financial Officer

Treasurer

TRANSFER AGENT

The Royal Trust Company

Montreal, Toronto and Vancouver

REGISTRAR

Montreal Trust Company

Montreal, Toronto and Vancouver

AUDITORS

Touche Ross & Co.

CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

Your Directors submit herewith the consolidated financial statements for the Company's 104th year ended December 31, 1970 as reported on by the Company's auditors, Touche Ross & Co.

Sales increased in 1970. Earnings improved as forecast. Consolidated earnings for the year 1970 were \$555,096 or \$1.23 per share compared to \$517,780 or \$1.15 per share for 1969. During the year quarterly dividends of 22c. per share were paid in March, June, September and December. Total dividends were 88c. per share.

The year ended with current assets of \$2,544,867 and current liabilities of \$1,192,264. Working capital was \$1,352,603, an increase over last year on a restated basis of \$309,540.

Mr. Yvon Boulanger, President of Yvon Boulanger Limitée, Montreal, was elected to the Board of Directors on April 21, 1970.

On behalf of the Directors it is a pleasure to pay tribute to the loyal and efficient service of the Company's officers and employees.

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Chairman and Chief Executive Officer.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDERS

Your Company has continued to make improvements in facilities and services in 1970. Orders received during the year established another Company record.

SECURITY

Our security program is one of examination and re-examination regularly and frequently in order that we may be aware of the latest developments and techniques, thereby assuring our customers of the highest degree of protection.

MARKETING

Our primary objective has been to extend our markets for present processes and products. The success achieved in this plan has resulted in increased sales.

The program undertaken earlier to develop regional plants has been augmented by the addition of security and financial printing facilities in Winnipeg. This has been done with the energetic and able assistance of Saults and Pollard Limited, our Sales Agent in Manitoba for over ten years.

RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT

The Company is continuing its policy of improving its production facilities to meet the needs of our customers and to control operating costs. In addition to our own technical improvement program all developments in the graphic arts industry are carefully evaluated for possible application in our particular field.

PERSONNEL

The many security documents produced by our Company require the specialized skills of a variety of printing crafts - engravers, siderographers, plate finishers, steel plate printers, lithographers, letterpress printers, bindery personnel and others. Journeymen in these various trades are trained through the Company's apprenticeship program. All the men and women in the Company contribute to our main objective which is to produce quality work in an efficient manner in order to provide the best possible service to our customers. The loyalty and dedication of our employees is a most important asset.



DIVISIONS

Security and financial documents required across the country by corporations, investment dealers, banks and trust companies are being provided by our regional operations. These production divisions and affiliates in Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg, Calgary and Vancouver are expanding their services by providing distribution locally for branch operations of banks and trust companies. Many security and financial forms are delivered in the shortest possible time. The regional plants at the same time maintain strict security controls. Our growth in these products and services complements the needs and growth of these customers across Canada.

We strongly recommend our shareholders promote and use the many services provided by our Company.

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President.

February 16, 1971.



CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET AS AT DECEMBER 31, 1970

| ASSETS | 1970 | 1969 |
|--|-------------|-------------|
| CURRENT | 1070 | |
| Cash | \$ 100,171 | \$ 127,446 |
| Accounts receivable | 1,170,129 | 692,329 |
| Inventories of raw materials, work in process and finished stock, valued at the lower of | | |
| cost or net realizable value | 1,148,930 | 992,404 |
| Prepaid charges | 114,657 | 107,347 |
| Special refundable tax | 10,980 | 22,819 |
| | 2,544,867 | 1,942,345 |
| OTHER | | |
| Investments - at cost (approximate market | | |
| value - 1970 \$529,250; 1969 \$537,250) | 628,210 | 683,444 |
| Deferred past service pension costs (Note 2) | 204,682 | 269,182 |
| | 832,892 | 952,626 |
| FIXED - AT COST | | |
| Building, land, furniture, equipment and | | |
| engraved stock | 6,226,802 | 6,065,946 |
| Less accumulated depreciation | 4,586,145 | 4,325,774 |
| | 1,640,657 | 1,740,172 |
| Excess of cost of shares of subsidiary companies over the book amount of their | ** | |
| net assets at the dates of acquisition | 204,427 | 201,927 |
| | \$5,222,843 | \$4,837,070 |
| On behalf of the Board: | | |

A. MURRAY VAUGHAN, Director

R. P. WHITE, Director

| LIABILITIES | 1970 | 1969 |
|--|-------------|-------------|
| CURRENT | | |
| Bank loan | \$ 500,000 | \$ 300,000 |
| Accounts payable and accrued liabilities | 580,761 | 404,533 |
| Income taxes payable (Note 3) | 41,988 | 116,077 |
| Sales taxes payable | 69,515 | 78,672 |
| | 1,192,264 | 899,282 |
| | | |
| Deferred income taxes (Note 3) | 251,000 | 320,000 |
| | | |
| Minority interest | 14,021 | 11,326 |
| | | |
| SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY | | |
| Capital stock | | |
| Authorized - 600,000 shares of no par value | | |
| Issued and fully paid - 450,000 shares of no par value | 300,000 | 300,000 |
| The pair value | | |
| Retained earnings | 3,465,558 | 3,306,462 |
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| | 3,765,558 | 3,606,462 |
| | \$5,222,843 | \$4,837,070 |



CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF EARNINGS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1970

| | 1970 | 1969 |
|--|-------------|--|
| Earnings from operations before deducting | | |
| the expenses shown below | \$1,512,546 | \$1,397,722 |
| Depreciation | 277,985 | 295,868 |
| Directors' remuneration as director or officer | 138,250 | 113,043 |
| | 416,235 | 408,911 |
| Net earnings from operations | 1,096,311 | 988,811 |
| Investment income | 45,065 | 50,141 |
| Other income | 15,753 | 8,334 |
| | 1,157,129 | 1,047,286 |
| Provision for income taxes (Note 3) | 597,588 | 529,050 |
| Minority interest | 4,445 | 456 |
| | 602,033 | 529,506 |
| Earnings for the year | \$ 555,096 | \$ 517,780 |
| Earnings per share | \$1.23 | \$1.15 |
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| | 1970 | 1969 |
|---|-------------|-------------|
| Balance at beginning of year | \$3,306,462 | \$3,194,389 |
| Share of earnings of subsidiary companies | | |
| earned prior to acquisition of control | | 8,293 |
| Earnings for the year | 555,096 | 517,780 |
| | 3,861,558 | 3,720,462 |
| Less dividends paid | 396,000 | 414,000 |
| Balance at end of year | \$3,465,558 | \$3,306,462 |
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CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF SOURCE AND APPLICATION OF FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1970

| | 1970 | 1969 |
|--|-------------|-------------|
| SOURCE | | |
| From operations | | |
| Earnings for the year Amounts charged against earnings not requiring an outlay of funds | \$ 555,096 | \$ 517,780 |
| Depreciation Amortization of deferred past service | 277,985 | 295,868 |
| pension costs (Note 2) | 64,500 | 113,548 |
| The same of the sa | 897,581 | 927,196 |
| Share of earnings of subsidiary companies | | |
| earned prior to acquisition of control | | 8,293 |
| Sale of investments | 55,234 | 6,853 |
| Increase in minority interest | 2,695 | 11,326 |
| | 955,510 | 953,668 |
| APPLICATION | | |
| Dividends | 396,000 | 414,000 |
| Purchases of fixed assets - net Excess of cost of investment in subsidiary companies over equity in net book value | 178,470 | 315,612 |
| of assets acquired | 2,500 | 93,365 |
| Decrease in deferred income taxes (Note 3) | 69,000 | 106,000 |
| | 645,970 | 928,977 |
| | | |
| Increase in working capital | 309,540 | 24,691 |
| Working capital at beginning of year | 1,043,063 | 1,018,372 |
| Working capital at end of year | \$1,352,603 | \$1,043,063 |

NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 1970

1. Subsidiary Companies

The consolidated financial statements which have been circulated to shareholders include the accounts of British American Bank Note Company Limited (incorporated under the Canada Corporations Act) and its subsidiaries whose financial statements are not published.

Wholly Owned

- The Franklin Press Limited (incorporated under the Laws of Ontario)
- Compagnie de Billets de Banque Québec Ltée Quebec Bank Note Company Ltd. (incorporated under the Quebec Companies Act)
- Alberta Banknote Co, Ltd. (incorporated under the Companies Act of the Province of Alberta)

Partly Owned

- Security Printing Corporation Ltd. (formerly Insta Print Ltd.)
 (incorporated under the British Columbia Companies Act)
- Winnipeg Banknote Co. Ltd. (incorporated under the Manitoba Companies Act)

2. Deferred Past Service Pension Costs

In 1966 the company made a lump sum payment to the pension plan in respect of past service benefits. The annual amortization of \$64,500 was charged against income during the year leaving a balance in this account of \$204,682.

3. Income Taxes

Income taxes currently payable exceed the provision for income taxes by \$69,000 and deferred income taxes on the balance sheet has been reduced by this amount. This arises from the following:

Excess of depreciation over the maximum capital cost allowances allowable for income tax purposes

\$34,000

Reflection in the accounts of a portion of pension costs, referred to in Note 2, which were claimed for income tax purposes when paid

35,000 \$69,000

4. Disclosure of Sales

By an order made pursuant to Section 117(1)(a) of the Canada Corporations Act, the company is authorized to omit the amount of sales or gross revenue derived from its operations from its financial statement to be laid before the next annual meeting of shareholders.



AUDITORS' REPORT

The Shareholders

British American Bank Note Company Limited

We have examined the consolidated balance sheet of British American Bank Note Company Limited and its subsidiaries as at December 31, 1970 and the consolidated statements of earnings, retained earnings and source and application of funds for the year then ended. Our examination included a general review of the accounting procedures and such tests of accounting records and other supporting evidence as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion these consolidated financial statements present fairly the financial position of the company and its subsidiaries as at December 31, 1970 and the results of their operations and the source and application of their funds for the year then ended, in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

TOUCHE ROSS & CO.
Chartered Accountants

SALES OFFICES

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DIVISIONS

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CALGARY - ALBERTA SECURITY PRINTING 2005 10th Ave. S.W. D. B. MacRAE - Manager

WINNIPEG - WINNIPEG BANKNOTE COMPANY LTD.
1499 Buffalo Place
L. O. POLLARD - Vice-President

VANCOUVER - SECURITY PRINTING CORPORATION LTD.
822 Homer St.
P. LINDSELL - President

PRODUCTS

bank notes
postage stamps
revenue stamps
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bonds and debentures

travellers' cheques money orders dividend cheques cash bonus coupons promissory notes annual and interim reports prospectuses trust deeds personalized cheques order forms statements of fact proxies

and many other financial documents



